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COURSE APPROVAL

DECK PROGRAM -- QMED OPTION Any cadet successfully completing the entire four-year deck program with the QMED Option and presenting your Training Record Book with all required assessments and entries completed will: (1) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 10.901(c)(1) and Table A-II/1 of the STCW Code for Officers in Charge of a Navigational Watch on Ships of 500 Gross Tonnage or More PROVIDED that they have acquired at least 360 days of sea service; --AND-- (2) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.05-3(c) and Table A-II/4 of the STCW Code, for Rating Forming Part of a Navigational Watch; --AND-- (3) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Table A-III/4 of the STCW Code, for Rating Forming Part of an Engineering Watch RESTRICTED to motor propulsion; --AND-- (4) Satisfy the Basic and Advanced Fire Fighting training requirements of 46 CFR 10.205(g) and 10.401(g)(1) for a license; the Advanced Fire Fighting training requirements of Section A-VI/3 and Table A-VI/3 of the STCW Code; and the Fire Fighting training requirements of 46 CFR 13.113(d)(2)(i)(A), 13.113(e)(1)(i)(A) or (B), 13.201(e), 13.301(e), 13.401(e) or 13.501(e) for any tankerman endorsement; --AND-- (5) Satisfy the First Aid & CPR training requirements of 46 CFR 10.205(h)(1)(ii) and (h)(2)(iii); --AND-- (6) Satisfy the sea service requirements of 10.407(a)(2)(iv) and may examine for a license as Third Mate of Ocean Steam or Motor Vessels of Any Gross Tons, PROVIDED that all other requirements, including, but not limited to citizenship, physical standards, and character and background checks, have also been satisfied; --AND-- (7) Satisfy the service requirements of 46 CFR 12.05-7(b)(1) and the written and practical examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.05-9 and may be issued an endorsement as Able Seaman - Unlimited, PROVIDED that all other requirements, including, but not limited to citizenship, physical standards, and character and background checks, have also been satisfied; --AND-- (8) Satisfy the service requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7 for any QMED endorsement PROVIDED that they have acquired at least 90 days of engine sea service and may examine for all Qualified Member of the Engine Department endorsements; --AND-- (9) Satisfy the Bridge Team Work training requirements of 46 CFR 10.205(o); --AND-- (10) Satisfy the ARPA training requirements of 46 CFR 10.205(m)(1) and will be considered to have successfully demonstrated the competencies "Use of Radar and ARPA to Maintain Safety of Navigation" of Table A-II/1 of the STCW Code and "Maintain Navigation Through the Use of Radar and ARPA and Modern Navigation Systems to Assist Command Decision Making" of Table A-II/2 of the STCW Code; --AND-- (11) Satisfy the GMDSS training requirements of 46 CFR 10.205(n) and Table A-IV/2 of the STCW Code; --AND-- (12) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 10.480 for endorsement as Radar Observer (Unlimited); --AND-- (13) Satisfy the Personal Survival training requirements of Section A-VI/1 and Table A-VI/1-1 of the STCW Code and 46 CFR 10.205(I)(1) and the Fire Fighting training requirements of Section A-VI/1 and Table A-VI/1-2 of the STCW Code and 46 CFR 10.205(I)(2); and the Elementary First Aid training requirements of Section A-VI/1 and Table A-VI/1-3 of the STCW Code and 46 CFR 10.205(I)(3); the Personal Safety & Social Responsibilities training requirements of Section A-VI/1 and Table A-VI/1-4 of the STCW Code and 46 CFR 10.205(I)(4); --AND--(14) Satisfy the training requirements of STCW Code Section A-VI/4 and Table A-VI/4-1, and be considered to have successfully demonstrated the competence "Apply Medical First Aid On Board Ship" of Tables A-II/1 and A-III/1of the STCW Code; --AND-- (15) Satisfy the "Medical Care Person In Charge" training requirements of Section A-VI/4 and Table A-VI/4-2 of the STCW Code and will be considered to have successfully demonstrated the competence "Organize and Manage the Provision of Medical Care On Board" of Table A-II/2 of the STCW Code; --AND-- (16) Satisfy the training and examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.10-3(a)(6) and 46 CFR 12.10-5 and may be issued an endorsement as Lifeboatman; --AND-- (17) Satisfy the requirements of Section A-VI/2 and Table A-VI/2-1 of the STCW Code for Proficiency in Survival Craft and Rescue Boats Other Than Fast Rescue Boats; --AND-- (18) Satisfy the tanker familiarization, oil tanker and chemical tanker training requirements of paragraphs 1-21 of Section A-V/1 of the STCW Code; --AND-- (19) Satisfy the service requirements of 46 CFR 13.403(2) and the training requirements of 46 CFR 13.409 for an original endorsement as Tankerman-Assistant DL and may be issued an endorsement as Tankerman-Assistant DL; --AND-- (20) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 13.209 or 13.309 for an endorsement as Tankerman-PIC (DL) or Tankerman-PIC (Barge)(DL). It will be necessary to provide evidence that the service and cargo transfer requirements of 46 CFR 13.203, 13.205, 13.303, and/or 13.305 have been satisfied before issuance of a Tankerman-PIC endorsement; --AND-- (21) Satisfy the requirements of Table A-VI/2-2 of the STCW Code for Fast Rescue Boats.

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COURSE APPROVAL

QMED - OILER

Any applicant successfully completing your 160-hour Qualified Member of the Engineering Department (QMED) Oiler course, and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will satisfy: (1) the examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9, for an endorsement as Qualified Member of the Engine Department - Oiler (Motor Vessels) PROVIDED they also present evidence of acquiring at least 180 days engine room sea service, --AND-- (2) the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the Seafarers' Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code, Specification of Minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part an Engineering Watch, for service on vessels without propulsion steam boilers PROVIDED that candidates have obtained sixty days of service following their knowledge training and have been successfully assessed in all the practical skill demonstrations.

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NDER/OILER/QMED

FIREMAN/WATERTE Any applicant successfully completing your 11-day Fireman/Watertender/Oiler/QMED courseand presenting your Certificate of Training and 180 days of service at a Regional Exam Center, will satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7(b)(1) and be issued an endorsement with QMED ratings ofFireman/Watertender and Oiler without further examination. This course has NOT been evaluated to determine if it will satisfy any requirements of the STCW Code.

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FIREMAN, OILER & WATERTENDER

Any applicant successfully completing the 3 month entry program AND the additional 1.5 month "Fireman, Oiler & Watertender" course and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will receive 3 months credit towards an endorsement as Fireman/Watertender and Oiler. This course has not been evaluated to determine if it will satisfy any training or assessment requirements of the STCW Code.

USCG QMED and Oiler Courses

QMED - ANY RATING

Any applicant having begun their sea service and/or training before August 1, 1998 and successfully completing your QMED – Any Rating course and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will be eligible to examine for all endorsements necessary to fulfill the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-11 for QMED – Any Rating. This course has not been evaluated to determine if it will satisfy any training or assessment requirements of the STCW Code.

QMED - MOTOR

Any applicant successfully completing both your 140-hour Engine Utility and 203-hour Qualified Member of the Engineering Department (QMED), Oiler/Motor courses, and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will:a) Satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7 (b)(2) and receive credit for one half of the sea service needed for a QMED Oiler endorsement provided they also present evidence of acquiring at least 90 days engine room service required during the interval between these two courses; AND;b) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the Seafarers' Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code, Specification of Minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part an Engineering Watch, for service on vessels without propulsion steam boilers, AND, c) If presented within one year of the completion of training, satisfy the examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9 for the General Safety (80XXX) and Oiler (87XXX) examination modules.

QMED OILER/MOTOR

Any applicant successfully completing BOTH your 140-hour Engine Utility and 203-hour Qualified Member of the Engineering Department (QMED), Oiler/Motor courses, and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will: (1) Satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7 (b)(2) and receive credit for one half of the sea service needed for a QMED Oiler endorsement PROVIDED they also present evidence of acquiring at least 90 days engine room service required during the interval between these two courses; --AND-- (2) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the Seafarers' Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code, Specification of Minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part an Engineering Watch, for service on vessels without propulsion steam boilers, --AND-- (3) If presented WITHIN ONE YEAR of the completion of training, satisfy the examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9 for the General Safety (80XXX) and Oiler (87XXX) examination modules.

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QMED

Any applicant successfully completed your 4-week Qualified Member of the Engine Department (QMED) course will: (1) Satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7 (b)(2) and receive credit for one half of the sea service needed for a QMED Oiler and Fireman/Watertender endorsement PROVIDED they also present evidence of at least 90 days engine room service acquired BEFORE attending this course; -- AND-- (2) Satisfy the training requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the STCW Code, Specification of Minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part an Engineering Watch, PROVIDED they also present evidence of being assessed in the related practical demonstrations and at least 60 days of engine room service acquired AFTER attending this course; -- AND-- (3) If presented WITHIN ONE YEAR of the completion of training, satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9 for the General Safety, Fireman/Watertender, and Oiler examination modules.

USCG QMED and Oiler Courses

QMED/JUNIOR ENGINEER

Any applicant whose merchant mariner's document is endorsed as QMED Oiler and/or Fireman/Watertender and successfully completed your 320-hour Junior Engineer course will: (1) Satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9 for the General Safety, and Junior Engineer examination modules, if presented WITHIN ONE YEAR of the completion of training, --AND-- (2) Satisfy the assessments of Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the STCW Code, Specification of Minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part an Engineering Watch, PROVIDED they also present evidence of at least 180 days of service as a day worker or watchstander assigned to the engine room.

QMED-ELECTRICIAN

Any applicant whose merchant mariner's document is endorsed as QMED Oiler and/or Fireman/Watertender and successfully completed your QMED-Electrician course will satisfy the requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9 for the General Safety, and Electrician examination modules, if presented WITHIN ONE YEAR of the completion of training. This course has not been evaluated to determine if it will satisfy any training or assessment requirements of the STCW Convention and STCW Code.

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QMED

Any applicant successfully completing your 6-week Qualified Member of the Engine Department (QMED) course and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will satisfy the: (1) requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-7(b)(2) and receive credit for one half of the sea service needed for a QMED-Oiler and Fireman/Watertender endorsement, PROVIDED they also present documentary evidence of 90 days of engine room service; --AND-- (2) examination requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-9(a) for QMED - Oiler and Fireman/Watertender endorsements; --AND-- (3) requirements of 46 CFR 12.15-3(e) and Section A-III/4 and Table A-III/4 of the Seafarers' Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code, Specification of minimum Standard of Competence for Ratings Forming Part of an Engineering Watch, provided they also present evidence of at least 60 days of engine room sea service acquired AFTER attending this course. Before issuing any course completion certificates, you must verify that the student has been successfully assessed in all related practical demonstrations.